

## Message Text

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ACTION EB-07

INFO OCT-01 AF-10 ARA-10 EUR-12 EA-07 NEA-10 ISO-00

ERDA-05 AID-05 CEA-01 CIAE-00 COME-00 EPG-02

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SS-15 STR-04 TRSE-00 ACDA-07 PA-01 PRS-01 /140 W

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FM AMEMBASSY VIENNA

TO SECSTATE WASHDC 2294

INFO AMEMBASSY ABU DHABI

AMEMBASSY ALGIERS

AMEMBASSY CARACAS

AMEMBASSY DOHA

AMEMBASSY JAKARTA

AMEMBASSY JIDDA

AMEMBASSY KUWAIT

AMEMBASSY LAGOS

AMEMBASSY LIBREVILLE

AMEMBASSY MANAMA

AMEMBASSY MUSCAT

AMEMBASSY QUITO

AMEMBASSY TEHRAN

AMEMBASSY TRIPOLI

USINT BAGHDAD

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EO 11652: N/A

TAGS: ENRG, OPEC

SUBJ: OPEC ANNOUNCEMENT ON CRUDE PRICE AGREEMENT

IN ANTICIPATION OF SOME ANNOUNCEMENT ON CRUDE PRICES, WE  
HAVE KEPT IN CONTACT WITH OPEC SECRETARIAT CONCERNING PLANS

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FOR ANY PUBLIC STATEMENTS. THIS MORNING OPEC INFO CHIEF  
ZAHERI TOLD EMBOFF THAT THE SECRETARIAT IS ON THE VERGE OF  
CALLING A PRESS CONFERENCE CONCERNING THE MUCH AWAITED  
ANNOUNCEMENT OF AN AGREEMENT ON THE EQUALIZATION OF CRUDE  
OIL PRICES BETWEEN THE "ELEVEN" AND SAUDI ARABIA/U.A.E.  
ZAHERI WOULD GIVE NO DETAILS OF WHAT MIGHT BE RELEASED  
BUT DID SAY THAT SEC GEN JAIDAH WOULD ADDRESS THE

NEWSMEN. ZAHERI ADDED THAT THE NEWS CONFERENCE WOULD  
NOT BE HELD BEFORE JUNE 28.MEEHAN

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## Message Attributes

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